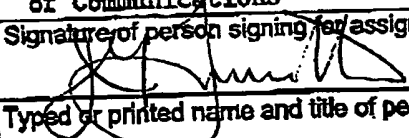


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Patent Number		Date Patent Issued	
5,367,588		November 22, 1994	
Title of Invention METHOD OF FABRICATING BRAGG GRATINGS USING A SILICA GLASS PHASE GRATING MASK AND MASK USED BY SAME			
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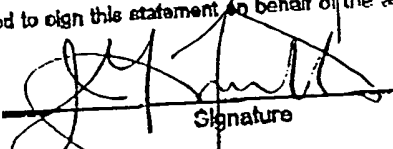
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<p>I believe said patentee(s) to be the original, first and sole or joint inventor(s) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in said patent, for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled <u>See Attachment 1</u> the specification of which <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. <input type="checkbox"/> was filed on _____ as reissue application number ____ / ____ and was amended on _____ (If applicable)</p>		
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Addendum

Attachment 1

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Attachment 2

document 2

The original patent failed to recite the relationship of the original patent with the parent applications of U.S. Patent Nos. 5,216,739 and 5,104,209 and failed to claim benefit thereof under 35 U.S.C. 120; and claim 15 of the original patent did not have proper antecedent basis for "the striations" so that claim 15 has been amended to depend from claim 11 rather than claim 8.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States application(s) listed below:

(application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(status)
656,462	February 19, 1991	patented (\$5,104,209)
811,299	December 20, 1991	patented (\$216,739)